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**Dabral et al.**

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**RESPONSE B**

**Request for Reconsideration and Amendment under CFR §1.111**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated 5 December 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified patent application as amended below.

**In the Title**

Please amend the title on page 1 of the specification to read as follows:

Input-Output Bus Interface to Bridge Different Process Technologies

**In the Claims**

Please cancel without prejudice claims 1-21.

Please add new claims 22-39 below.

22. (New) An electronic system comprising:

a ground having a ground voltage;